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Whitehall, July 12, 1777.

Extract of a Letter from General Sir William Howe to Lord George Germain, dated at New York the 3d of June, 1777.

YOUR Lordship's Dispatches, Nos 3, 4, and 5, of the 3d of March, and No 6, of the 5th following, I had the Honor to receive by Major Balfour on the Arrival of His Majesty's Ship Augusta the 8th of May, the Duplicates of which have since arrived by the Sandwich Packet. The earliest Opportunity was taken of signifying His Majesty's most gracious Approbation of the Behaviour of the Officers whose Names are particularized by your Lordship.

The Arrival of the Camp Equipage on the 24th of May, both for the Army and Provincials, has relieved me from much Anxiety, being Articles greatly wanted for the Opening of the Campaign, which will now immediately take Place in Jersey, where the Enemy's principal Strength still remains; and I shall proceed, as Occurrences may arise, according to the Plan made known to your Lordship in my former Dispatches.

The Remount Horses for the 16th and 17th Dragoons are arrived in good Order, with the Loss of Ten Horses on the Passage. The Officers of the Guards and British Recruits also arrived on the 24th of May, the Anspach Troops, 432 German Recruits, and 51 German Chasseurs, on the 3d Instant, convoyed by the Somerset. These Troops appear to be in very good Health, and have disembarked upon Staten Island to refresh for a short Time.

I have the Pleasure to inform your Lordship of the Arrival of Major-General Gray in the Somerset.

Major Dixon of the Corps of Engineers, who has His Majesty's Leave to return to Britain, will have the Honour of delivering my Dispatches to your Lordship by the Halifax Packet; and I presume upon the acknowledged Abilities of this Gentleman, and his thorough Knowledge of the Situation of the Country, to justify me in referring your Lordship to him, for the most particular as well as general Information.

Admiralty Office, July 12, 1777.

Extract of a Letter from Vice-Admiral Lord Viscount Howe, to Mr. Stephens, dated off New York the 8th of June, 1777.

THE Nonsuch arrived here the 25th past, and the Camel and Bute the 28th, with all the Transports, Three excepted, of the Convoy that failed at the same Time from Portsmouth. They had continued under the Conduct of Captain Finch of the Camel only, since the 6th of May, the Isis and Swift having been separated on the Passage. Two of the missing Transports came in a few Days before, and the Third a few Days after Captain Finch. But the Isis and Swift did not arrive till the 7th Instant.

On the 3d Instant Captain Ourry arrived in the Somerset, with the Transports he had in Charge;

but the Mercury parted Company the third Day after they left the British Coast. The Troops by both these Convoys are in good Health.

Captain Mason arrived here on the 7th Instant in the Dispatch, with the Springfield and two more Transports, Part of the Convoy that failed from England under the Charge of Captain Onslow. As the Separation happened when they were not more than 150 Leagues from this Port, the Arrival of the St Alban's, with the Rest of the Transports, may be daily expected.

As there was Reason to believe it might be soon requisite to embark a considerable Part of the Army, timely Preparation has been made for the Purpose: And as my Attendance would be necessary with the Transports in Consequence, I have recalled Commodore Hotham from the Delaware to direct the Naval Operations, and carry on the current Service of the Port.

Sir George Collier, who commands the Detachment of the Squadron at Halifax, will be attentive to afford all possible Protection to the Fisheries at Canoe and Isle Madame.

The following is a List of Vessels seized as Prizes, and of Recaptures made, by the American Squadron, between the 1st of January, 1777, and the 22d of May following, according to the Returns received by the Vice-Admiral the Viscount Howe.

Prizes taken by The DAPHNE.

January 31. Moore, George Collis, Master, from Boston; in Ballast.

March 8. Mary, Joseph Hatch, Master, from Boston; in Ballast.

— 9. Juno, George Eldridge, Master, from St. Eustatia; with Salt.

— 12. Sally, deserted by the People, from Nantz; with Gunpowder, Lead, &c.

— 14. Adventure, William Young, Master, from St. Croix; with Rum, Salt, Bales, &c.

— 28. Cronelia and Molly, John Lockhart, Master, from Martinique; with Powder, Molasses, and Sail-Cloth,

April 3. Nancy, Joseph Bennet, Master, from St. Eustatia; with Rum, Salt, and Dry Goods.

Ditto. Ann, Charles Bulkley, from Martinique.

April 5. Bolton, William Stevens, Master, from Philadelphia; with Tobacco, Flour, Bread, Lumber, Tar and Turpentine.

— 14. Black River, — M^rReur, Master, from Philadelphia; with Tobacco, Flour, Bread and Iron.

By The EMERALD.

February 12. Two Friends, Thomas Cartwright, Master, from Boston; in Ballast.

— 14. Phoenix, from St. Thomas; with 38 Guns and Salt.

Ditto. Betsey, Joseph Frith, Master, from St. Croix; with Salt and Powder.

— 15. Hope, Ephraim Bartlett, Master, from New England; with Rum, Sugar and Molasses.

— 19.

[Price Seven-Pence.]



Feb 19. *Esber*, John Gordon, Master, from Providence in Rhode Island; with Casks and Sugar.

March 3. *Edward*, Samuel Arnold, Master, from Baltimore; with Bread and Flour.

— 5. *Hannah*, Lot Price, Master, from New England; in Ballast.

— 8. *Judith*, Mark Burnam, Master, from Virginia; with Flour.

— 13. *Dolphin*, Jonathan Clark, Master, from Madeira; with Wine.

— 17. *Charming Nancy*, Peter Bushell, Master, from Philadelphia; with Flour.

— 19. *Two Sisters*, Renic. Davis, Master, from Cape Ann; in Ballast.

— 23. *Mifflin*, Henry Marshall, Master, from Portsmouth, New England; in Ballast.

Ditto. *General Mercer*, William Lewis, Master, from Surinam; with Molasses, Powder and Sugar.

April 3. *Industry*, John Jaques, Master, from Martinique; with Salt, Medicines, &c.

— 4. *Friendship*, John Gibbons, Master, from Curacao; in Ballast.

Ditto. *Friendship*, Nicholas Houtvat, Master, from Virginia; with Bread, Flour and Tobacco.

— 15. *Ann*, Francis Robins, Master, from Baltimore; with Tobacco, Flour and Staves.

Ditto. *Susannah*, William Horn, Master, from Virginia; with Tobacco and Flour.

— 20. *Revenge*, Henry Laugiew, Master, from Guadalupe; with Rum, Brandy, &c.

Recapture by The BRUNE.

January 6. *Duntreath*, James Creighton, Master, from St. Augustine; with Lumber.

Prizes by The BRUNE.

— 18. *Lowly Meriam*, Seth Ewill, Master, from St. Eustatia; with Salt and Bale Goods.

— 20. *Farmer*, Benjamin Dasheil, Master, from Baltimore; with Tobacco, Staves, &c.

— 30. *William*, William Russell, Master, from Newberry; with Blubber and Salt.

February 3. *Le Jason*, — Bayonne, Master, from Martinique; with Salt and Merchandise.

— 4. *Dispatch*, Nathaniel Fair, Master, from Boston; in Ballast.

— 9. *La Tempete*, Jean Baptiste, Master, from Cayenne; with Wine, Spirits, Canvas, &c.

April 14. *Winyaw*, Samuel Harlow, Master, from Boston; in Ballast.

— 15. *Swiftsure*, John Munro, Master, from St. Thomas; with Rum and Dry Goods.

Ditto. *Le Bien Heureux*, Gasp. Giurlavi, Master, from Martinique; with Wine and Dry Goods.

— 21. *Yonk*, from Cape Fear, with Pitch and Tar.

— 30. *Gratitude*, Frederick Lykmes, from Cape Fear; with Turpentine.

Ditto. *Liberty*, Abraham Jones, Master, from Wilmington; in Ballast.

May 6. *La Marie Francoise*, Pascal Ferbon, Master, from Cape Francois; with Salt, Brandy, and Rum.

Recapture by The PHOENIX.

January 2. *Rangir*, James Renown, Master, from St. Croix.

Prizes by DITTO.

— 8. *Fly*, James Wilson, Master, from Martinique; with Arms and Ammunition.

— 12. *Royal George*, Jere. Burrows, Master, from Bermuda; with Salt.

— 27. *Three Friends*, Samuel Robins, Master, from Boston; with 10 Hogheads of Sugar.

Ditto. *Adventure*, William Jones, Master, from Hispaniola; with Salt.

February 17. *Molly*, Uriah Atkins, Master, from Boston; in Ballast.

— 18. *Alexandria*, Barnabas Gardner, Master, from Bedford; with 30 Hogheads of Sugar.

— 27. *Nancy*, Isaac Taylor, Master, from Senepuxen, with 9 Hogheads of Tobacco.

March 2. *Ninety-two*, Jere. Rogers, Master, from Hispaniola; with Salt and Dry Goods.

— 8. *Betsy*, John Churchward, Master, from North Carolina; with Naval Stores.

— 10. *Wolf*, Simon Elliott, Master, from St. Thomas; with Salt, Guns and Dry Goods.

April 13. *Olive Branch*, Aaron Andrews, Master, from Boston; in Ballast.

— 22. *Esber*, from Dartmouth; with Sugar and Rum.

— 23. *Betsy*, George Shockley, Master, from Dartmouth; in Ballast.

— 28. *Billy and Mary*, John Burrows, Master, from Maryland; with Tobacco.

May 5. *Hetty*, Francis Saltus, Master, from Charles Town; with Salt, Rice, &c.

Ditto. Two Schooners chased on Shore about Five Miles to the Southward of Cape Henry.

— 9. *Les Graces*, Jean B. Duffaut, Master, from Porta Prince; with Salt, Spirits and Molasses.

— 19. Unknown, deserted by the People; with Rum and Salt.

— 26. A Privateer of Ten Guns, chased on Shore to the Southward of Cape Henry.

By the PRESTON.

January 20. *Batchelor*, William Scon, Master, from St. Eustatia; with Rum, Salt, and Dry Goods.

— 24. *Good Intent*, John Finlayson, Master, from Cape Francois; with Rum, Salt, and Dry Goods.

— 27. *Runfast*, Nem. Somes, Master, from Boston; with Rum and Sugar.

Ditto. *Content*, Samuel Gale, Master, from Marblehead; with Salt, Rum and Sugar.

— 31. *Molly*, — Humphrey, Master, from Elk River; in Ballast.

February 5. Supposed to be the *Ranger*, John Sandford, Master, from Cape Francois; with Molasses, Rum and Salt.

March 15. *La Rose*, Augustin Couster, Master, from Philadelphia; with Flour.

— 17. *Hanover*, Uriah Gardner, Master, from Nantucket; with Molasses and Sugar.

— 29. *Polly*, William Gallop, Master; from Philadelphia; with Flour.

By the ROEBUCK.

January 1. *Friendship*, Daniel Rhods, Master, from Cape Nicholas; with Molasses and Sugar.

— 10. *Peggy*, Alexander Thompson, from Savannah; with Rice, Indigo and Hides.

— 11. *Adventure*, Lawrence Sandford, Master, from Cape Nicholas; with Powder and Sail Cloth.

— 13. *Rose*, Joseph Costin, Master, from Hispaniola; with Molasses and Wine.

April 2. *Defence*, Thomas Pickering, Master, from Charles Town, South Carolina; armed for War.

— 5. *Dolphin*, William Raddon, Master, from —

— 11. A Vessel blown up and totally destroyed. St. Eustatia; with Flour, Hoops and Tobacco.

— 20. *Turris*, Nathaniel Robinson, Master, from East Creek; with Fence Rails.

Prize by The PEARL.

January 3. A Vessel from Cape Francois; with Molasses and Coffee.

Recapture by DITTO.

— 6. *Little John*, from Mississippi; with Lumber and Staves.

Prizes by The PEARL.

- March 19. *Speedwell*, John Brynen, Master, from Charles Town; with Rice, &c.
 — 24. *Anna Maria*, Francis Rowland, Master, from Georgia; with Rice and Indigo.
 April 6. *Willing Maid*, Roger Pye, Master, from St. Thomas's; with Salt, Rum, &c.
 Ditto. *Harmony*, James Briggs, Master, from Surinam; with Rum and Sugar.
 Ditto. *Mary*, (French) from Cape Francois; with Rum, Sugar and Molasses.
 March 21. *Batebelor*, on Suspicion of Piracy; one Gun, besides Swivels and Cohorns.
 April 21. A Vessel, Name unknown.
 — 25. *Small Sloop*, — Shaw, Master; with Indian Corn and Wheat.
 May 29. *Chance*, John Verden, Master, from Philadelphia; with Flour and Bread.
 — *Whaleboat*, John McKenny, Master, from Lewes, too look out, being an Advice Boat.
 — A Vessel with Flax and Flax-Seed.

By the PERSEUS.

- Jan. 7. *Speedwell*, John Hazard, Master, from Georgia; with Rice, Indigo and Skins.

Recapture by DITTO.

- 12. *Thomas*, Thomas Nicholson, Master, from Jamaica; with Logwood, Fustic and Mahogany.

Prizes by DITTO.

- 25. *Adventure*, Thomas Nevell, Master, from St. Thomas's; with Wine and Dry Goods.
 Ditto. *Union*, (French) Jean Collineux, Master, from Martinique; with Bale Goods.

Recaptures by DITTO.

- Feb. 8. *Mackarel*, from Cork; with Provisions for the Army.
 — 13. *Marquess of Rockingham*, Isaac Pocock, Master, from Bristol; with Dry Goods.

Prizes by DITTO.

- 20. *Adventure*, William Coffen, Master, from Newberry; with Lumber.
 March 1. *Champion*, Joseph Haskill, Master, from Manchester, with Lumber.
 April 5. *Neptune*, Daniel Van Vorhus, Master, from Philadelphia; with Flour, Hoops and Staves.
 Ditto. *Sackem*, James Robinson, Master, from the Congress; Sloop on a Cruise; armed for War.

By the THAMES.

- April 12. *Raven*, Charles Jenkins, Master, from Philadelphia.
 — 24. *Jenny*, John Lippitt, Master, from Demarara; with Rum and Salt.
 — 25. *Raleigh Privateer*, John Barratt, from Virginia.
 — 28. *Industry*, Gabriel Sund, Master, from Baltimore; with Flour.

By The CAMILLA.

- Feb. 28. *Ranger*, William Davies, Master, from St. Lucia; in Ballast.
 April 15. A Vessel unknown; with Rum, Molasses and Sugar.
 — 20. A Vessel from Cape Nichola; with Molasses.
 — 21. *Perfect*, Etienne Codnet, Master, from Cape Nichola; with Molasses.
 — 25. A Vessel unknown, from South Carolina; with Rum and Rice.
 — 26. A Vessel unknown; with Rum and Rice.

By The CHATHAM.

- Jan. 14. *Lucretia*, Jacob Serley, Master, from Bourdeaux; with Saltpetre and Sulphur.

By The ORPHEUS.

- Feb. 16. *Three Friends*, Benjamin Clifton, Master,

from South Carolina; with Rice, Indigo and Dry Goods.

By The AMAZON.

- Feb. 3. *Fortune*, Andrew Palmer, Master, from St. Thomas's; with Arms, Ammunition and Dry Goods.

March 13. A Vessel, Samuel Bube, Master, from Stonington; with Salt, Sugar and Rum.

— 14. *Oliver*, John Bulkley, Master, from St. Thomas's; with Sugar and Rum.

April 7. *Trial*, Jos. Bais, Master, from Philadelphia; with Flour, Iron, Steel and Starch.

By The JUNE.

Feb. 19. *Chance*, (Master dead) from Hispaniola; with Molasses, Coffee and Rum.

March 14. *Hero*, James Latham, Master, from New London; with Horses and Lumber.

Ditto. A Vessel, laden with Rum and Molasses.

By The UNICORN.

January 14. *Othello*, George Dunbar Sweet, Master, from Havannah; in Ballast.

— 15. *Savage*, Nath. Atkin, Master, from Boston; with Sugar, Rum and Mahogany.

Ditto. *Smack*, John Leighton, Master, from Boston; with Sugar, Rum, Fish, &c.

— 16. *Naby*, Stephen Atwood, Master, from Chatham; in Ballast.

— 19. *William*, Peter Bontacon, from New Haven; with Flax Seed.

Recapture by DITTO.

Feb. 14. *Thomas*, Oliver Read, Master, from Liverpool; with Provisions.

Prizes by DITTO.

— 15. *Sally*, John Sandford, Master, from Dyton; with Onions, Potatoes, Cheese and Sugar.

March 4. *Happy Couple*, David Lawrence, Master, from South Carolina; with Rice and Indigo.

— 7. *Olive*, Johial Tinker, Master, from Cape Francois; with Salt and Molasses.

— 14. *Betsy*, Jonathan Tucker, Master, from Salem; with Sugar and Earthen Ware.

— 15. *Betsy*, John Moody, Master, from Boston; with Oil and Sugar.

May 11. *Marianne*, Mark Towell, Master, from Virginia; with Tobacco and Flour.

By the MERMAID.

January 9. *Dartmouth*, James Littlefield, Master, from Boston; with Lumber.

April 1. *Clarissa*, Noah Millar, Master, from St. Eustatia; with Salt.

— 15. *Escape*, Benjamin Weeks, Master, from Maryland; with Flour.

Recapture by DITTO.

— 19. *Experiment*, taken by the Lyon Privateer of Egg Harbour; with Coals.

Prizes by DITTO.

Ditto. *Hazard*, run ashore and destroyed by the above Privateer; laden with Oats.

Ditto. *Lyon Privateer*.

By the MERLIN.

April 19. *Dispatch*, R. Collings Harding, Master, from Boston; with Lumber, Sugar and Oil.

— 23. *Industry*, Jacob Allen, Master, from Wingaw; with Rice and Pitch.

— 25. *Polly*, Alexander English, Master, from Newberry; with Lumber.

By the SENEGAL.

May 22. *General Mercer*, R. M. Richardson, Master, from Rapahannock; with Tobacco.

By the LARK.

April 5. *Sophia*, Joseph Caney, Master, from Mariagalante, with Piece Goods, Wine and Coffee.

— 19. *Lady Washington*, William Preston, Master, from Newberry; in Ballast.

Recapture by DITTO.

April 23. Friendship, a Quarter-master from the Emerald Sloop, Master, (being a Prize to the said Ship, and retaken by the Rebels) from Virginia; with Tobacco and Flour.

Prizes by The DIAMOND.

Ditto. Success, John Langden, Master, from Salem; with Sugar.

Prizes by The DIAMOND and GREYHOUND.

April 5. Polly, Charles Colehan, Master, from St. Eustatia; with Molasses, Salt, Coffee and Cordage.

— 12. *Timeleon*, Joseph Blaid, Master, from Bordeaux; with Lead and Bale Goods.

— 18. *Polly*, from St. Lucia; with Molasses, Coffee, &c.

— 22. *Success*, from Boston; with Potatoes, Indian Corn, &c.

— 28. *Paris*, from Guadalupe; with Arms, Ammunition and Warlike Stores.

Ditto. A Vessel from Newbery, with Sugar.

Ditto. Ditto, with Lumber and Fish.

Ditto. Juno, from Old York; with Lumber.

Ditto. Savage, from Marblehead; with Fish.

— *Betsy*, from South Carolina; with Rice, Tar and Indigo.

— 30. *Tayron*, from South Carolina; with Rice, Pitch, &c.

May 2. Bersheba, from Boston; with Lumber, Pitch, Tar, &c.

— 11. *Hannab*; with Molasses, Salt, Linen and Cordage.

Prizes by The DIAMOND and UNICORN.

— 13. *Tryal*, H. Archer, Master; with Flour.

By The FALCON.

Jan. 19. A Vessel, in Ballast.

— 22. *Seaflower*, Thomas Crocker, Master; with Salt, Molasses, &c.

May 8. Industry, Jacob Godwin, Master, from New London; with Lumber and Horses.

— 12. *Charter Street*, Andrew Rogers, Master, from St. Eustatia; with Salt and Dry Goods.

April — A Vessel from St. Lucia; with Coffee, Molasses, &c.

By The GALATEA.

Jan. 6. Good Intent, David Burch, Master, from Baltimore; with Flour, Bread, &c.

— 10. *Bold Defiance*, William Taylor, Master, from Virginia; with Flour, Bread, &c.

February 3. Susannah, Tef. McKenzie, from South Carolina; with Rice.

Ditto. Baker, Zeb. Bapson, Master, from Newbery; with Molasses and Cordage.

— 6. *Revenge Privateer*, Samuel Fowlis, Master, from Martinique; with Canvas and Woollens.

— 13. *Family Fader*, B. Wainwright, Master, from South Carolina; with Rice, Indigo, and Corn.

Ditto. Eagle, George Johnson, Master, from St. Eustatia; with Gunpowder, Salt, and Dry Goods.

— 14. *Mermaid*, George Bishop, Master, from Cape Francois; with Molasses, Sugar, and Dry Goods.

— 23. *A Vessel*, Thomas Yates, Master, from Virginia.

March 12. Dispatch, John Hutchings, Master, from Maryland; with Indian Corn.

— 19. *Good Intent*, Nath. Bethel, Master, from North Carolina; with Indian Corn.

— 25. *Washington*, D. Livingston, Master, from Philadelphia; with Flour and Lumber.

Ditto. Peggy, John Cockran, Master, from North Carolina; with Indian Corn.

April 2. Friendship, William Bateman, Master, from Salem; with Lumber and Spars.

— 18. *Alston*, William Thompson, Master, from South Carolina; with Rice, Rum, Tea and Salt.

— 22. *Francois*, (Letter of Marque,) Thomas Baker, Master, from St. Eustatia; with Salt.

By The GALATEA.

April 24. Molly, Benj. Cox, Master, from South Carolina; with Rice, Pitch, &c.

Ditto. Proteus, William Proby, Master, from St. Croix; with Rum, Sugar, and Molasses.

— 25. *Dove*, Abraham Toppen, Master, from Winyaw; with Rice, Pitch, and Turpentine.

— 26. *John*, Christopher Worth, Master, from Nantucket; with Sugar.

— 28. *Phoenix*, Elisha Coffin, Master, from Nantucket; with Sugar and Oil.

By The SPHYNX.

March 27. Minerva, Jos. Dean, Master, from Surinam; with Molasses, Coffee, &c.

Recapture by the MILFORD.

February 23. Elizabeth, from Liverpool; with Dry Goods.

Prizes by DITTO.

March 9. Two Sisters, from the West Indies; with Molasses.

— 26. *Cabot Privateer*, — Olney, Master; from New England.

Bella, from Nova Scotia; with Lumber.

Recapture by the LIVERPOOL.

January 2. Providence, William Penterick, Master, from Cork; with Provisions.

Vessels seized or destroyed in the last Year, but not included in the Return of the 31st of December, 1776, no Account of them being then received.

1776. *Prizes by the PHOENIX.*

December 31. York, Samuel Talman, Master, from Demarara; with Rum.

By the EXPERIMENT.

December 7. Polly, Nobert Nelson, Master, from North Carolina; with Bees Wax and Staves.

By the CHATHAM.

— 18. *Betty*, James Sutton, Master, from Cape Breton; in Ballast.

By the CERBERUS.

— 29. *Success*, Giles Pierce, Master, from Charles Town; with Rice, Indigo and Leather.

Recapture by DITTO.

Ditto. Betty, J. Brice, Master, from Jamaica; with Rum.

Prize by DITTO.

— 30. *Liberty*, Sol. Phillips, Master, from New London; with Horses, Flour and Lumber.

Recapture by the MERMAID.

Dec. 10. Grace, Edward Markland, Master, from Martinique; in Ballast.

Prizes by DITTO.

— 11. *Lyon*, Ladwick Champlain, Master, from New London; with Horses, &c.

— 12. *Lyon*, Isaac Harlow, Master, from Dartmouth; with Sugar, Rum and Molasses.

By the FALCON.

Dec. 18. A Vessel unknown; down the Delaware.

— 19. *Ditto*; with Oil.

— 31. *Kitty*, Samuel Nichols, Master, from Cape Francois, with Molasses, Rum and Dry Goods.

By the LIVERPOOL.

August 12. Swan; with Indian Corn.

— 13. *Charming Sally*, deserted by the People; with Molasses and Rum.

Recapture

1776. *Recaptures by DITTO.*
 Aug. 13. *Nevis*, Edward Coffin, Master, from Nevis;
 with Rum and Sugar.
 — *Devonshire*, William Fisher, Master, from An-
 tigua; with Rum and Sugar.

Prize by DITTO.
 Sept. 12. *Warren*, William Burke, Master, from
 Marblehead.

By the HOPE and DILIGENCE.
 Oct. 3. *General Gates*, Joshua Stone, Master.

By The GALATEA.
 Dec. 12. *Neptune*, Thomas Munro, Master, from
 Surinam; with Molasses, Cocoa and Sugar.
 — 15. *Fame*, Nathaniel Bernard, Master, from
 Harbour Island; with Salt.
 — 16. *Lively*, Benjamin Jenkins, Master, from
 Cape Nicholas; with Molasses.
 — 20. *Peggy*, Edward North, Master, from South
 Carolina; with Indigo.

— 25. *Betsy*, James Lampheer, Master, from
 New London; with Lumber and Provisions.

Ditto *Bucklin Privateer*, Joseph Handy, Master,
 from Maryland.

— 30. *Union*, Eba Waters, Master, from New
 London; with Lumber and Stock.

By The BRUNE.
 July. *Harlem*; with Powder, Arms, &c.

Total Number of Captures — 203
 Recaptures — 15

H O W E.

Plymouth, July 8. This Afternoon the Experi-
 ment, with the Ships and Vessels under her Convoy,
 sailed out of the Sound.

Portsmouth, July 9. Yesterday the Bristol, with
 her Convoy, sailed from St. Helen's for New York.

Petersburg, June 17. On Sunday last, being the
 Festival of the Ilimailowsky Regiment of Guards,
 the Empress came to Town, when there was a nu-
 merous Court; and the Officers of the said Regiment
 had the Honour of Dining with her Imperial Ma-
 jesty, as usual.

Early Yesterday Morning the King of Sweden,
 under the Title of Count of Gothland, arrived in a
 Galley at Cronstadt, attended by the Counts Scheffer
 and Poffe, General Trolle who commanded the
 Galley, two Chamberlains and a Secretary; and
 landing at Oranienbaum, proceeded with Baron
 Nolken to Petersburg, where he did Count Panin the
 Honour of a Visit, and afterwards dined at Baron
 Nolken's with Count Panin, who set out immediately
 after Dinner for Zarfco Zelo to announce the Count
 of Gothland, whom Baron Nolken attended thither.
 The Empress received her illustrious Visitor with
 every Mark of Friendship; and presented the Great
 Duke and Duchesses to him. After going to the Play
 and supping with her Imperial Majesty, the Count
 returned to Town and lodged at Baron Nolken's.

To-day the Count of Gothland dines with her
 Imperial Majesty at a Palace called the Grenouillere,
 about seven Wersts from hence. The Count will
 lodge To-night at Baron Nolken's, and will go To-
 morrow to Zarfco Zelo, where he proposes to re-
 main till Saturday, when the Count removes to
 Peterhoff, at which Palace Apartments are prepared
 for him.

Dresden, July 2. On Saturday Night last their
 Electoral Highnesses returned to this City with Prince
 Anthony and Prince Maximilian, from the Camp at
 Mich'en; and on Sunday Night went, as usual, to
 Pillnitz for the Week.

Erratum. In the Gazette of Saturday June 21,
 in the 4th Paragraph of the 2d Article from St.

James's, for Richard Stewart, Doctor in Divinity,
 of the Place and Dignity of Dean of the Cathedral
 Church of St. Edouard read, Richard Stewart, Doctor
 in Divinity, of the Place and Dignity of Dean of
 the Cathedral Church of St. Lazarus otherwise St.
 Lazarin in the Diocese of Leiglin.

Pay-Office, Horse Guards, July 10, 1777.

THE Right Hon. the Paymaster General of His Ma-
 jesty's Forces having ordered Six Months Half Pay
 to be issued to all the Reduced Officers of His Majesty's
 Land Forces, from the 25th of December, 1776, to the
 24th of June, 1777; also Six Months Allowance to the
 Officers and Private Gentlemen of His Majesty's late
 Third and Fourth Troops of Horse Guards to the same
 Time: Notice is hereby declared, that on Monday
 next the 14th Instant, Attendance will be given at the
 abovesaid Office for Payment of the same accordingly.

Robert Randall.

Ramsgate Harbour, July 9, 1777.

THE Trustees for Enlarging, Building, and Main-
 taining the said Harbour, do hereby give Notice, that
 their next Meeting will be held at the Office of the Cor-
 poration for the Merchants Seamen over the Royal Ex-
 change, on Wednesday the 30th of July instant, at One
 o'Clock precisely: when they will state one Cash Account
 of Receipts and Payments, and one General Revenue Ac-
 count, agreeable to the Directions in the Act of Parlia-
 ment for that Purpose. And they do hereby further give
 Notice, that the said Accounts shall lie open for the
 Public Inspection of all and every Person or Persons,
 with their Secretary, at the Old South Sea House, in
 Broad-Street, London, for the Space of six Days after
 such Meeting. And at the said Meeting it is intended
 to fill up the Vacancies in the Trust, by electing new
 Trustees in the Room of those deceased.

Will. Evans, Secretary.

Excise-Office, London, July 10, 1777.

FOR Sale by Order of the Honourable the Com-
 missioners of His Majesty's Revenue of Excise, &c.
 on Tuesday the 29th, Wednesday the 30th, and Thurs-
 day the 31st, of July, 1777. at Three o'Clock in
 the Afternoon on each Day, will be exposed to Sale,
 at their Court Room in Old Broad-Street, Several
 Parcels of Condemned Black and Green Tea, Coffee
 Raw and Roasted, Chocolate, Brandy, Rum, and Ge-
 neva, &c.

Printed Catalogues of the Particulars thereof may
 be had at the said Office on Thursday the 24th of
 July; and the Goods may be viewed there, and at
 the Warehouse at Porters Key near the Custom-House,
 on Saturday the 26th and Monday the 28th of July,
 from Eight o'Clock in the Morning till Two in the
 Afternoon on each Day, and on the first Day of Sale
 till Twelve o'Clock.

London, July 10, 1777.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Warrants for the
 Dividend declared on the Nominal Capital Stock
 of the Governor and Company for working of Mines,
 Minerals and Metals, in that Part of Great Britain
 called Scotland, will be ready to be delivered to the
 Proprietors on Thursday the 24th Instant, and every
 Thursday thereafter till the Whole is paid, at the Sun
 Fire Office in Bank-street, Cornhill; and that the
 Transfer Books, which are now shut, will be opened
 again on Thursday the said 24th of this instant
 July.

South Sea House, July 10, 1777.

THE Court of Directors of the South Sea Company
 give Notice, That a General Court of the said
 Company will be held at this House, on Thursday the
 24th Instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, for the Pur-
 pose of declaring a Dividend on their Capital Stock
 for the Half Year ending the 31st of this Month.

AVERAGE PRICES of CORN,

From June 30, to July 5, 1777.

By the Standard WINCHESTER Bushel of Eight Gallons.

	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Beans.
London,	6 1	3 0	2 4	2 0	3 4

COUNTIES INLAND.

Middlesex,	6 3	—	2 5	2 2	3 6
Surry,	6 0	—	—	2 4	4 0
Hertford,	5 1	—	—	2 4	3 8
Bedford,	5 1	3 7	—	2 2	3 5
Cambridge,	5 6	3 2	—	1 10	2 8
Huntingdon,	5 8	—	2 9	1 10	2 11
Northampton,	6 5	3 1	2 8	2 3	3 8
Rutland,	6 3	3 9	—	2 2	4 6
Leicester,	6 2	3 4	2 10	2 3	4 3
Nottingham,	6 0	3 8	3 0	2 5	4 3
Derby,	6 7	—	—	2 9	4 8
Stafford,	6 3	4 5	—	2 6	4 9
Salop,	6 3	4 5	2 8	2 4	4 6
Hereford,	6 9	—	3 1	2 11	—
Worcester,	6 4	3 5	—	2 10	4 5
Warwick,	7 0	—	3 0	2 9	4 2
Gloucester,	6 5	—	2 7	2 3	3 9
Wilts,	6 3	—	2 7	2 0	3 8
Berks,	6 3	—	2 4	2 3	3 4
Oxford,	5 10	—	2 4	2 2	3 4
Bucks,	6 5	—	2 10	2 3	3 7

COUNTIES upon the COAST.

Essex,	5 7	—	2 5	2 1	3 2
Suffolk,	5 6	2 10	2 4	1 11	2 11
Norfolk,	5 8	2 10	2 1	2 0	—
Lincoln,	5 8	3 9	2 7	1 11	3 8
York,	6 1	3 9	2 3	2 1	3 9
Durham,	5 11	—	—	2 1	3 9
Northumberland,	5 5	3 6	2 2	1 8	3 3
Cumberland,	5 9	3 5	2 1	2 0	2 11
Westmorland,	6 7	3 9	2 7	2 0	—
Lancashire,	6 0	—	2 9	2 2	4 2
Cheshire,	6 4	—	2 9	2 4	—
Monmouth,	7 2	—	3 7	2 2	—
Somerset,	6 7	3 4	2 6	2 0	3 8
Devon,	6 3	—	2 9	1 7	—
Cornwall,	6 1	—	3 2	1 9	—
Dorset,	5 10	—	3 4	2 0	3 8
Hampshire,	5 6	—	2 2	2 0	3 6
Sussex,	5 0	—	2 4	2 3	3 4
Kent,	5 10	—	3 5	2 3	3 2

From June 23, to June 28, 1777.

W A L E S.

North Wales,	5 11	4 3	2 6	2 8	3 7
South Wales,	6 6	5 2	3 6	1 9	3 4

Part of SCOTLAND.

Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Beans.	Big.
5 0	1 2	1 8	1 8	2 1	1 9

Published by Authority of Parliament,

Will^m Cooke.

ENFIELD CHASE INCLOSURE.

BY Order of the Right Honourable the Chancellor and the Council of His Majesty's Duchy of Lancaster, Notice is hereby given, that His Majesty's Allotment of the said Chase is staked out into Twenty-four Lots, containing from 40 to 150 Acres each; and that, in the Beginning of November next, the Lots will be put up separately before the Clerk of the Council, at the Duchy-Office in Gray's-inn, in order to the granting Leases thereof for 99 Years to the best Bidders, on the Terms and Conditions specified in the Particulars, which, with printed Plans, may be had by applying at the said Office, between the Hours of Ten and One o'Clock.

N.B. The Timber and Wood now growing on the Premises will be the absolute Property of the Lessees, and full Encouragement will be given them to protect the future Growth thereof.

F. Russell,

His Majesty's Duchy Surveyor.

TO be sold to the best Bidder, on Tuesday the 22d of July instant, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, before the major Part of the Commissioners under a Commission of Bankrupt against Heaton Wilkes, late of St. John's-square, Clerkenwell, Coal-merchant, the following Freehold Estates of the said Bankrupt, in Two Lots, viz.

Lot 1. A large elegant Brick Mansion-house, with a Courtyard, two Coach-houses, Stabling for Four Horses, and pro-

per Offices, situate in St. John's-square, Clerkenwell, and late in the Possession of Mr. Wilkes.

Lot 2. One undivided Fourth Part of and in a Coal Mine, or Right of digging and getting Coal, in 134 Acres or thereabouts of Land, situate in the Parish of Darleston in the County of Stafford, the Estate of Thomas Turton, Esq; lying between the several great Manufacturing and Trading Towns in that Part, and near to a navigable River.

The Premises may be viewed, by applying on the Spot, where Particulars may be had; also at the Post-houses at Litchfield, Birmingham, and Wolverhampton; of Mr. Cobb, at Litchfield; Mr. Marshall and Mr. Turton, at Wolverhampton; and of Mr. Smith, Attorney, in Jeffery's square, St. Mary Axe, London.

June 26, 1777.

MR. Joseph Trentham and Mr. James Killingley, Heirs, in Nottingham, (the Trustees of the Estate of Charles Mobbs, late of Shrewsbury in Shropshire, Esq; deceased) will attend at the Feathers Inn, in Nottingham, on Tuesday the 22d of July instant, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, to make a Dividend of his Estate. All Persons who have any Demands on the said Charles Mobbs are desired to send an Account thereof forthwith to the said Mr. Trentham or Mr. Killingley, that the same may be settled, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend: And all Persons who are indebted to the said Estate are to pay the same to the said Mr. Trentham or Mr. Killingley, or they will be prosecuted for the same.

Derby, July 3, 1777.

MATHEW Bradley, of Chaddesden in the County of Derby, Tanner, having made an Assignment of his Estate and Effects to Mess. Melland, Mansfield, and Smith, of Derby, in Trust, for the better and more effectual Payment of his Debts; all Persons, therefore, who have any Claim or Demand upon the said Mathew Bradley, are requested to send an Account thereof to Mr. Leaper, Attorney, at Derby; and all Persons who stand indebted to the said Mathew Bradley are desired to pay their respective Debts to the said Mr. Leaper, who is authorized by the Assignees to receive the same.

London, June 30, 1777.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between Bracewell and Stanier, of Cannon-street, Hatters and Haberdashers, is this Day dissolved; and the Business will be carried on in Cannon-street as usual by Richard Stanier only, who hopes for the Continuance of the Favours of his Friends and Customers: And all Persons indebted to the said Copartnership are desired to pay their Accounts to Richard Stanier, who will give proper Discharges for the same.

Jⁿo Bracewell.
R^d. Stanier.

THE Creditors of Samuel Willmott, of Scarborough in the County of York, Linen-draper, who have executed his Deed of Trust, may receive a Dividend of his Estate and Effects, by applying to Mess. Wilkinson and Son, of Wood-street, London, on Friday the 8th Day of August next; and such Creditors, who have not executed the same, are desired to send an Account of their Debts to the said Mess. Wilkinson on or before the said 8th Day of August, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

TO be Sold by Auction, at Glasgow in Scotland, on Friday the 8th Day of August, 1777, by Order of Commissioners appointed by His Majesty's High Court of Admiralty, About 320 Barrels and 85 Half-Barrels of Rice, Duty free; also about 19 Tierces of Indigo, Duty free; being the Cargo of the Ship George, Gregory Cozens, Master, lately condemned in the said Court, as Rights and Perquisites of Admiralty. N.B. Catalogues will be ready to be delivered in due Time by the Commissioners in Glasgow.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Stephen Shakespear, of Gutter-lane, London; Ribbon-weaver, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, on Friday the 18th of July instant, at Twelve at Noon precisely, at Garraway's Coffee-house in Exchange-alley, Cornhill, London, to take into Consideration the Account depending between Mr. David Shakespear and the Bankrupt; and to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees settling the same in such Manner as they shall think proper.

P Urstant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Sabine, formerly of Twinn near Hertford in the County of Hertford, but late of Walcot Parade near the City of Bath in the County of Somerset, Esq; deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before John Hett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symonds-inn, Chancery-lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Powell, late of Sampson's-gardens in the Parish of St. George in the East in the County of Middlesex, Merchant, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Harris, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-inn, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Specialty Creditors of John Kemble, late of Eastham in the County of Essex, Merchant, deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts before William Graves, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 6th Day of November next, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Henry Bayley, of Willow-hall in the Parish of Whittlesea in the Isle of Ely in the County of Cambridge, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Thursday the 24th Instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Talbot Inn, in Peterborough in the County of Northampton, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees their commencing, prosecuting, or defending any Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; or to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Woodbridge, of the Crescent in the City of London, Merchant, (Copartner with Henry Kelly, late of the same Place, Merchant) and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 22d Day of July instant at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, on the 26th Day of the same Month, and on the 23d Day of August next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Daniel, N^o 32, Fenchurch-street, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Peter Robert Luard, late of London, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 24th and 31st Days of July instant at Five in the Afternoon, and on the 23d Day of August next at Eight in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Messrs. Palmer and Searle, Philpot-lane.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Sampson, late of London, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 19th Day of July instant, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, on the 26th Day of the same Month, and on the 23d Day of August next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees; and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Woodeson, in Dove-court, Lombard-street.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Rider, late of Leeds in the County of York, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 19th Day of July instant at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, and on the 22d and 23d Days of August next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his

Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Walton, Girdlers-hall, Basinghall-street.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Barnes, now or late of the Parish of Saint Mary Whitechapel in the County of Middlesex, Carpenter, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 25th Day of July instant at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, on the 26th Day of the same Month at Nine o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 23d Day of August next at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Messrs. Carter and Simpson, No. 15, Bishopsgate-street Without.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Charles Steward, late of the Parish of St. Helen in the City of Worcester, Baker, Master, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 8th and 9th Days of August next, at the Pheasant Inn, in Silver-street, Worcester, and on the 23d Day of the said August, at the Talbot, situate in Droitwich, Worcestershire, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon on each Day, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Thomas Price, Attorney, in Worcester, or Mr. Shephard, Attorney, Boswell-court, Carey-street, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Saxby Rowledge, of Wellingborough in the County of Northampton, Butcher, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 28th and 29th Days of July instant, and on the 23d Day of August next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon on each Day, at the George Inn, at Kettering, Northamptonshire, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Hill, Attorney, at Market Harborough, Leicestershire.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Joseph Holt, of Manchester in the County of Lancaster, Cordwainer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 28th and 29th Days of July instant, and on the 23d Day of August next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon on each Day, at the House of John Phitman, known by the Name of the Exchange Coffee-house, in Manchester, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Turner, of the Temple, London, or Mr. Whitaker, Attorney, in King-street, Manchester.